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New York 2014 Vegetable Production Summary

<u>Snap Bean</u> for fresh market production is estimated at 617 thousand cwt per acre, up 10 percent from the 2013 estimate. The average yield per acre is estimated at 63 cwt, 8 cwt above the 2013 average yield of 55 cwt per acre. Area harvested is estimated at 9,800 acres, down 4 percent from last year. The value of production totaled 52.1 million dollars, up 3 percent from 2013.

<u>Cabbage</u> production is estimated at 3.32 million cwt, down 16 percent from the 2013 estimate and the lowest production since 1983. The average yield per acre is estimated at 400 cwt, 50 cwt below the 2013 average yield of 450 cwt per acre. Area harvested is estimated at 8,300 acres, down 6 percent from last year and the lowest acreage since 1974. The value of production totaled 72.4 million dollars, up 1 percent from 2013.

<u>Sweet Corn</u> production is estimated at 1.77 million cwt, down 29 percent from the 2013 estimate. The average yield per acre is estimated at 98 cwt, 12 cwt below the 2013 average yield of 110 cwt per acre. Area harvested is estimated at 18,100 acres, down 20 percent from last year and the second lowest acreage on record. The value of production totaled 42.4 million dollars, down 46 percent from 2013.

<u>Cucumber</u> production is estimated at 272 thousand cwt, up 14 percent from the 2013 estimate. The average yield per acre is estimated at 160 cwt, 20 cwt above the 2013 average yield of 140 cwt per acre. Area harvested is estimated at 1,700 acres, unchanged from last year and a record low acreage. The value of production totaled 10.1 million dollars, up 10 percent from 2013.

<u>Onion</u> production is estimated at 2.36 million cwt, up 17 percent from the 2013 estimate. The average yield per acre is estimated at 295 cwt, 15 cwt below the 2013 average yield of 310 cwt per acre. Area harvested is estimated at 8,000 acres, up 23 percent from last year and the second lowest acreage on record. The value of production totaled 33.8 million dollars, up 7 percent from 2013.

<u>Pumpkin</u> production is estimated at a record low 690 thousand cwt, down 28 percent from the 2013 estimate. The average yield per acre is estimated at 135 cwt, 25 cwt below the 2013 average yield of 160 cwt per acre. Area harvested is estimated at 5,200 acres, down 13 percent from last year. The value of production totaled 20.5 million dollars, down 32 percent from 2013.

<u>Squash</u> production is estimated at 691 thousand cwt, down 20 percent from the 2013 estimate. The average yield per acre is estimated at 160 cwt, down 30 cwt from the 2013 average yield of 190 cwt per acre. Area harvested is estimated at 4,300 acres, down 4 percent from last year. The value of production totaled 31.4 million dollars, down 17 percent from 2013.

<u>Tomato</u> production is estimated at 312 thousand cwt, down 30 percent from the 2013 estimate and the lowest since 1996. The average yield is estimated at 120 cwt, 45 cwt below the 2013 average yield of 165 cwt per acre. Area harvested is estimated at 2,600 acres, down 4 percent from last year. The value of production totaled 24.0 million dollars, down 26 percent from 2013.

<u>Cauliflower</u> production is estimated at 61 thousand cwt, up 15 percent from the 2013 estimate. The average yield is estimated at 130 cwt, 5 cwt above the 2013 average yield of 125 cwt per acre. Area harvested is estimated at 470 acres, up 9 percent from last year. The value of production totaled 2.62 million dollars, down 17 percent from 2013.

Strawberry production is estimated at 32 thousand cwt, down 16 percent from the 2013 estimate and tied with the second lowest crop since 1972. The average yield per acre is estimated at 32 cwt, 5 cwt above the 2013 average yield of 27 cwt per acre. Area harvested is estimated at 1,000 acres, down 29 percent from last year. The value of production totaled 7.52 million dollars, down 3 percent from 2013.

<u>Snap Bean</u> for processing production is estimated at 81,680 tons, up 31 percent from the 2013 estimate. The average yield per acre is estimated at 4.00 tons, 0.71 tons above the 2013 average yield of 3.29 tons per acre. Area harvested is estimated at 20,420 acres, up 8 percent from last year. The value of production totaled 27.6 million dollars, up 68 percent from 2013.

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